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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date: 5/2/2006
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Guy E. Averett
APPLN. NO.: 10/072145
FILED: 2/7/2002
FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF PROVIDING
REGIONS OF LOW SUBSTRATE CAPACITANCE
Group: 2811
Examiner: Ori Nadav
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No.: ONS00317
Mailing Date: May 2, 2006

To: Commissioner for Patents
Mail Stop RCE
P.O. Box 1450
Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of prior application No. 10/072145 filed on February 7, 2002, having U.S. Examiner Ori Nadav in Group Art Unit 2811, entitled **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF PROVIDING REGIONS OF LOW SUBSTRATE CAPACITANCE** by first named inventor Guy E. Averett.

(NOTE: 37 C.F.R. §1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000 and provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995. See the American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)).

The inventor(s) of the prior application are Guy E. Averett, Keith G. Kamckona, Chandrasekhara Sudhamu, Weizhong. Cai, Gordon L. Bratten, and Bladimiro Ruiz, Jr.

Submissions required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, previously submitted:

- Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on April 13, 2006.
- Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
- Other _____.

Submissions required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, enclosed:

- Amendment/Reply.
- Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
- Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), with PTO-1449, and _____ citation copies.
- Other _____.

Miscellaneous:

- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of extension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) is \$130.00 and is required).
- Return Receipt Postcard.
- Other _____.

Fees:

- Applicant hereby petitions pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for response to the outstanding Official Action mailed January 31, 2006. The period for response was previously set to elapse April 30, 2006, and is accordingly hereby extended to May 31, 2006, which is still within the six-month statutory period for response (35 U.S.C. § 133) which elapses July 31, 2006. The reason for this petition is that a RCE transmittal is being filed, and it is desired to maintain the present application in pending condition pursuant to 35 USC § 120 through at least the

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filing of the RCE application. The required Extension Fee established by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 41(a) (8) is:

EXTENSION	FEE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First Month	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Second Month	\$420.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Third Month	\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fourth Month	\$1,480.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fifth Month	\$2,010.00

- The filing fee is calculated as follows:

FOR	FEE
RCE FEE	= \$ 790.00
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE	= \$120.00
SUSPENSION OF ACTION	= \$ 0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE	= \$910.00

- Please charge Deposit Account No. 501086 in the amount of \$910.00 for the Total Filing Fee, and the Extension Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), if applicable.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required now or in the future during the entire pendency of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 37 C.F.R. 1.17, including any present or future time extension fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501086.
- This sheet is submitted in duplicate.

This transmittal letter has 2 total pages.

May 2, 2006

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